

**MICHAEL BEST  
& FRIEDRICH LLP**  
*Attorneys at Law*

www.mbf-law.com

Michael Best & Friedrich LLP  
Milwaukee Office  
100 East Wisconsin Avenue  
Suite 3300  
Milwaukee, WI 53202-4108  
Telephone: (414) 271-6560  
FAX (414): 277-0656

**FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION****DATE:** October 27, 2003**To:**

NAME	FAX NO.	PHONE NO.
Jagdish Patel Technology Center 3600	703-305-7687	703 308-7837

**FROM:** Julie A. Haut**PHONE:** (414) 225-4080**SENT BY:** Jo Swanson**EXTENSION:** 5363**LOCATION:** 30NW

<b>NUMBER OF PAGES, INCLUDING COVER:</b>	
<b>CLIENT MATTER NUMBER:</b> 863999028	<b>SENDER'S ACCOUNT NUMBER:</b> 037

**NOTES/COMMENTS:**

Interview Request Form attached

**OFFICIAL****RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER****OCT 27 2003**

THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS FACSIMILE IS INTENDED ONLY FOR THE PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL USE OF THE DESIGNATED RECIPIENTS NAMED ABOVE. THIS MESSAGE MAY BE AN ATTORNEY-CLIENT COMMUNICATION, OR MAY BE PROPRIETARY CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION OF A CLIENT, AND AS SUCH IS PRIVILEGED AND CONFIDENTIAL. IF THE READER OF THIS MESSAGE IS NOT THE INTENDED RECIPIENT OR ANY AGENT RESPONSIBLE FOR DELIVERING IT TO THE INTENDED RECIPIENT, YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT YOU HAVE RECEIVED THIS DOCUMENT IN ERROR, AND THAT ANY REVIEW, DISSEMINATION, DISTRIBUTION OR COPYING OF THIS MESSAGE IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED THIS COMMUNICATION IN ERROR, PLEASE NOTIFY US IMMEDIATELY BY TELEPHONE AND RETURN THE ORIGINAL MESSAGE TO US BY MAIL. THANK YOU.

IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE ALL OF THE PAGES OR IF YOU EXPERIENCE FAX TRANSMISSION PROBLEMS, PLEASE CALL FAX DEPARTMENT AT (414) 271-6560, Ext. 5467 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09/713,868 First Named Applicant: James Tuchler  
Examiner: Jagdish Patel Art Unit: 3624 Status of Application: Pending

Tentative Participants:  
Examiner Patel

Julie A. Haut

Proposed Date of Interview: October 28, 2003 Proposed Time: 3:00 PM EST

Type of Interview Requested:

☒ Telephonic ☐ Personal ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

OCT 27 2003

OFFICIAL

### Issues to Be Discussed

Issues (Ref., Obj., etc.)	Claims / Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
Rejection	Claim: 1	U.S. 2003/0028481 ("Flitcroft")	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

☐ Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Flitcroft does not teach or suggest the subject matter of claim 1.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on \_\_\_\_\_

#### NOTE:

This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Julie A. Haut  
(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Examiner/SPE Signature)

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.133. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public to process an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 21 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMMISSIONS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

which is to file (and by the USPTO minutes to complete, including use. Any comments on the use of this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.